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GRAND OLD PARTY CELEBRATES

FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF REPUBLICAN PARTY

Republicans Enthusiastically Celebrate Semi-Centennial of Party's Organization in Philadelphia.
Great Crowd Is Present.

MANY AGED PARTY ORGANIZERS ARE CHEERED

NAMES OF ALL REPUBLICAN PRESIDENTS ARE APPLAUDED WHEN MENTIONED—OLD HALL USED BY THE PARTY IN 1856 IS AGAIN SCENE OF REMARKABLE GATHERING — CELEBRATION CONTINUES FOUR DAYS.

PHILADELPHIA, June 17.—In the same assembly room in the Musical Fund hall where, on June 17, 1856, the republican party opened its first national convention, which named Fremont and Dayton as the presidential ticket there gathered today hundreds of republicans from different sections of the country to commemorate the event. It was the opening meeting of a four days' celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of the republican party under the auspices of the national republican league, which will begin its convention tomorrow. The old hall, which has changed little since the first convention was held within its walls was crowded with enthusiastic republicans who cheered every time the name of a republican president

was mentioned. Among those who participated in the exercises were 152 men who voted for Fremont for President. They entered the hall in a body and were assigned seats in the front part of the auditorium. The appearance of these old men, some of whom could hardly walk, was the occasion for long and enthusiastic applause. In their ranks was the delegate who proposed the name of Abraham Lincoln for vice-president, but as the man was not well known the nomination went to Dayton. Governor Pennypacker presided and introduced Rev. Edward M. Levy, a Baptist clergyman of this city, who delivered the invocation at the opening of the convention 50 years ago. He performed a like service today.

CZAR PLAYS TENNIS WHILE PEOPLE PLOT

Situation Throughout Russia is Fast Becoming Worse Every Day and an Outbreak is Feared Any Time.

ST. PETERSBURG, June 17.—Pitiably the affair at Bialystok has apparently burned itself out. No further bloodshed is reported today and no more is expected, even by the radicals, who are satisfied the authorities are now in control and will do everything possible to prevent a renewal of the excesses. The general situation however is hourly growing more disquieting and the country seems on the verge of another gigantic upheaval. In St. Petersburg and Moscow the population is greatly excited and nothing is talked of except a general political strike, which would bring the government to its knees. The government appears waiting for the blow to fall, before raising its hand and it is reported heavy patrols have been placed in the streets and at the railroad stations, but no action is taken to stop the agitation. The emperor is reported to spend most of his time playing tennis.

CRAZY INDIAN WOMAN KILLS MOTHER'S CHILD

Because of Fancied Grudge, Indian Woman Murders Child and Tries to Kill Its Mother—Searching For the Indian.

YREKA, Cal., June 17.—While riding in a buggy with her two small children in Willow Creek Valley this afternoon, Mrs. William Beale, wife of a rancher, was stopped in the road by Dora Chipp, an Indian woman, who fiercely attacked Mrs. Beale. Mrs. Beale fled to her house pursued by the infuriated woman who fired five shots into the house after Mrs. Beale had locked herself in. One bullet grazed Mrs. Beale's chin. A little later Amos Richardson, a neighbor, found the youngest child, 17 months old, dead in the road, its head terribly crushed and beaten. The other child had escaped. People are searching for the Indian woman whose motive is said to be some fancied grudge.

SPOKANE HAS FIRE.

SPOKANE, June 17.—A fire early today in the Victor Block caused \$37,000 damage, \$10,000 of which were on the building and \$27,000 on the contents. No insurance was carried.

TWENTIETH CENTURY FLYER WRECKED BY SPLIT RAIL

BUFFALO, June 17.—The Twentieth Century Flyer on the Lake Shore was wrecked near West Seneca today. It is considered miraculous that no one was killed. One day coach and seven sleepers were badly smashed. It is believed the wreck was caused by a split rail. The coupling between the engine and the first car broke and the engine bumped

along on the ties for 500 feet. Sixty-seven passengers were on the train. All were badly shaken and slightly bruised. The train was running 60 miles an hour when the accident occurred. All the sleepers were derailed and the tracks torn up. The massive construction of the Pullmans and the level roadbed were the two factors which prevented the loss of life.

NON-UNION SAILORS FIRE ON UNION MEN.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 17.—As a result of the sailors' strike, one union sailor was shot and killed and three wounded tonight. The shooting occurred when a launch containing about fifteen union sailors was fired on from the schooner National City, which was scheduled to sail tomorrow with a non-union crew. According to the men in the launch several volleys were fired at them without warning when a few feet from the schooner. It is said the intention of the union men was to induce the non-union crew to desert.

BIG CONFLAGRATION.

ST. PAUL, June 17.—The six-story Ryan annex building was completely gutted by a fire which was discovered this morning and which burned all day. It is estimated the loss is \$500,000. Several firemen were badly cut by flying pieces of glass and 37 were overcome by heat and smoke. All will recover with the possible exception of Lieutenant William Edwards who is in a critical condition. The Ryan Hotel was not damaged.

TERRORISTS ARE ACTIVE.

WARSAW, June 17.—A band of terrorists this morning held up the mail wagon between Kroiniewice and Kladawa. The terrorists killed the driver and the horses and the two soldiers escorting the driver, plundered the mail and escaped. This evening five terrorists shot and killed a police officer and his wife while they were walking on the streets. The assassins escaped. The Jews of Warsaw are uneasy, but at present there is no indication of an anti-Jewish outbreak.

WESTERN FEDERATION BLAMED.

WASHINGTON, June 17.—In a letter filed with the state department and dated Cananea, Mexico, W. C. Greene, president of the Copper Company, at whose mines the recent rioting occurred, charges that agitators from the Western Federation of Miners had been through his mines inciting the Mexicans and tells of how he was warned of a plot to dynamite the bank and inaugurate a revolution against President Diaz.

RECLAMATION WORK TRONDJEM CROWDED

Umatilla Irrigation Scheme Regarded as Most Promising.

FOR FOREST FIRE PROTECTION

Senator Fulton Conferring With Forest Reserve Officials to Make Better Provision For Fire Protection in Forests.

ASTORIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, D. C., June 17.—Rural settlements are to be advocated by many persons interested in Western development, in connection with the reclamation work. It is pointed out that on some of the big projects, where the soil is rich and the climate propitious, farms will be 40 to 80 acres in area, bringing a number of persons into close proximity. By arranging for such a community to erect their dwellings in a village community, the famous Riverside settlement could be duplicated on a small scale. As all of the work of the reclamation service is yet of an experimental nature, it is the wish of the head officials to undertake nothing which seems not to have assurance of undoubted success. If after the work is thoroughly demonstrated, the experiment, so far as the fundamental principle being past, the rural settlement idea can be fostered, it will probably be carried

FIVE ARE DROWNED.

DENVER, June 17.—A News special from Cody, Wyo., says five lumbermen were drowned in the Shoshone river near Wapiti today while attempting to cross in a boat. The men belonged to a gang working on a log jam and had been warned not to attempt the trip. The boat contained eleven men and capsized in midstream. Six of the party were rescued with difficulty. None of the dead have been recovered.

STEAMER GOES ASHORE.

NEW YORK, June 17.—The Italian steamer Vincenzo Bonanno from Palermo, went ashore near Fire Island Light-house at 9 o'clock tonight, because of fog. The vessel is in an easy position and is believed to be in no immediate danger.

NINE BODIES FOUND.

VILNA, June 17.—The bodies of nine revolutionists have been found in the burned houses at Bialystok from which they attacked the police station. General Bader, commandant of the troops at Bialystok has been made governor-general.

HAS NOT ARRIVED.

PORTLAND, June 17 (11:40 P. M.)—Some anxiety is felt here for the steamer Kilburn, which left Astoria early this morning for this city, and has not arrived yet, nor has she been reported along her route. It is feared she may have run ashore.

City of Fishers Now Filled With Outsiders.

FOR CROWNING OF HAAKON

Population of Norway Ready to Celebrate Big Event Which Takes Place on Friday—Great Festivities Are Planned.

CHRISTIANIA, June 17.—Trondhjem was yesterday a city of fishers, today it is the capital. Those who will participate in the ceremony of the crowning of King Haakon have already swelled the population and others are crowding there by every steamer and train. The gaiety will reach full tide on Thursday when King Haakon, Queen Maud and the baby Crown Prince Olaf, will reach there. The royal party is conducting their journey northward along the coast. Today was spent in the vicinity of Mold. Today began with a demonstration by the fishfolks at Aalesund. Ninety steamers, 50 or more boats, and scores upon scores of small craft participated. The royal yacht Heimdal, first steamed through the fleet and was wildly cheered, and then the fleet formed in two long columns and steamed up the fjord, the Heimdal leading. The crowd in the boats numbered 8000. The royal family will reach Christiania tomorrow morning.

SENATE WILL VOTE ON SEA LEVEL CANAL BILL

Measure Is Expected to Come Up for Vote on Thursday Afternoon—Senators Will Speak on the Bill During Week.

KING HAAKON WILL BE CROWNED ON FRIDAY

HOUSE WILL PROBABLY PASS THE MEAT INSPECTION AMENDMENT TO AGRICULTURAL APPROPRIATION BILL SENDING THIS MEASURE TO CONFERENCE—INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION WILL MEET.

WASHINGTON, June 17.—The senate will devote much time this week to preparing for a vote on the sea level Panama canal bill, which is scheduled for 3 o'clock on Thursday. Several senators are scheduled for speeches for and against the bill. The adoption of the provision in the sundry civil bill by the house, opposing the sea level type, had the effect of stimulating interest, and this provision itself will be a subject of discussion. It is possible that late in the week the senate will take up the sundry bill or the conference report on the agricultural appropriation bill. The former is an amendment of the house making a prohibition against the expenditure of money for the sea level canal, and the latter the meat inspection provision. As effort will be made to hold down the discussion and it is probable that most of the work on these bills will be in the committee.

The meat inspection amendment will be called up on Tuesday and will be disposed of with as great dispatch as possible. The time to be spent on it is estimated at two days. Discussion of the pure food bill will be somewhat political in its nature, and members who desire to make speeches on tariff and politics and who have been put off, have generally been told to wait until the pure food bill comes up. The passage of this bill was planned some time ago and it is to be made the vehicle for closing the political speeches of the session.

The interstate commerce commission on Thursday will meet in Washington and will give those presidents of the railroads, who desire, an opportunity to be heard. The presidents who have been notified that the commission will hear them are A. J. Cassatt of the Pennsylvania; O. G. Murphy of the Baltimore and Ohio; George W. Stevens of the Chesapeake & Ohio; L. Johnson of the Norfolk and Western, and W. H. Newman of the New York Central.

On Friday, the coronation of King Haakon the VII. of Norway will take place. The scene of the ceremonies will be in the cathedral at Trondhjem. The Bishop of Trondhjem will anoint the King with the sacred oil, after which the crown will be placed on his head by Premier Michelson.

A POPULAR VENTURE.

Major Moore made a trip to Portland this week to confer with his associates with a view to extending the ocean pier two hundred feet further to sea than the present contract calls for; but as the season is so close at hand, and the venture an experiment, it is probable that it will not be extended further this season than originally intended. But it is a big undertaking as it is, and the gentlemen interested are to be commended for their public spirit. The work of building the ocean pier is proving a great attraction to visitors and home people alike. There are something over 100 feet yet to build, and then the "T" is to be added, which will give a fine depth of water for deep sea fishing.—Seaside Signal.

COAST BASEBALL SCORES.

Northwest League.
At Butte—Butte 6, Spokane 1.
At Hoquiam—Tacoma 6, Gray's Harbor 4.
Pacific Coast League.
At Oakland—Oakland 1-1, San Francisco 6-4 (two games).
At Portland—Portland 3, Fresno 0.
At Seattle—Seattle 4-0, Los Angeles 3-1 (two games).

NOT LIKE OREGON.

TOPEKA, June 17.—After the hottest day of the year, North and Central Kansas tonight was visited by a terrific rain and thunder storm breaking the extended drought which has already irreparably damaged the wheat crop and threatened the corn crop.

STRONG PROTEST IS MADE BY BAY CITY REFUGES

SAN FRANCISCO, June 17.—Three hundred refugees from the camps located throughout San Francisco combined in the adoption of resolutions calling for the abolishment of soup kitchens and a return to the former plan of dealing out rations to the destitute of the city. It was also declared the sense of the meeting that refugees are being

opposed by those in charge, and calling for the committee appointed by Mayor Schmitz to supersede the army forces. The main cry of the speakers was that the home life is being destroyed by requiring the husband and wife to be separated during the meals, as such a course is destroying the manhood of the citizens.

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